any right to them is directed to present to the District Forest Officer, Sagar Division, within one month from the date of the publication of this notice, a written statment of his claims and establish his right thereto failing which, the ownership of the said junglewood pieces shall vest in Government under Section 42 of the Mysore Forest Regulation.

Description of timber found unclaimed.

No.	Kind	Length	Girth	C. ft.
1	Hunal	9' —9"	2'—11"	5
2	Mathi	14—0	2— 2	4
3	Hunal	13—0	1— 6	2
4	Do	13—0	1— 6	2
5	Do	16—3	2— 0	4
6	Do	7—6	1— 5	¾
		Total 6 pieces measuring		17¾

Abstract Notification, dated 3rd November 1923.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed Notification of the Lease of Thupra leaves in the Sagar, Sorab, Shikarpur and Nagar Taluks of the Division, up to end of June 1924, published on page 796 to 797, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 15th November 1923.

M. A. VARADACHAR,
District Forest Officer.

BHADRAVATI DIVISION.

Notification dated 14th November 1923.

It is hereby notified for the general information of the Public that the right of purchase of dry dead trees and lops and tops of teak, beete, honne, matti and other kinds in the State Forests of Muthodi and Hipla State Forests of this Division for the period ending 30th June 1924, will be sold by public auction by the District Forest Officer or such other officer who may be appointed by him at Tarikere on 6th December 1923.

Rules regarding the purchase and removal of the same will be intimated at the time of sale.

Notification dated 15th November 1923.

It is hereby notified for general information that the right of collection and removal of bamboos in the undermentioned State Forests of this Division for the calendar year 1924, will be sold by public auction by the District Forest Officer, Bhadravati Division, on the dates and at the places noted below :—

Name of Range	Name of forest	Minimum quantity to be purchased		Place of sale	Date and hour
		Big bamboos	Small bamboos		
Hunsekatte ..	Umblebyle	..	10,000	Bhadravati District Forest Office.	15th December 1923, 3 P.M.
Umblebyle ..	Chornedhalli and Kaksanhasudi State Forest.	5,000	30,000		
		2,000	30,000		
Aldhara ..	Aldhara State Forest ..	..	20,000		
Bhadravati ..	Antargange	..	15,000		
	Kukwada-Ubrani (Hadikere).	..	24,000		

Conditions.

The sale is subject to the confirmation of the Conservator of Forests or the District Forest Officer as the case may be who reserves to himself the power of accepting or rejecting any bid without assigning any reason therefor.

2. The highest bidder shall deposit twenty-five per cent of the lease amount immediately the sale is concluded. If he fails to do so, the produce will be re-sold at his risk in which case, he shall not participate in any profit arising therefrom, but on the other hand, shall be liable for any loss that may thereby be caused to Government which will be recovered as an arrear of land revenue.

3. The successful purchaser or lessee shall pay the balance of the lease amount within fifteen days after the confirmation of sale is intimated, failing which, the amount deposited or the whole amount paid already as the case may be, will be forfeited to Government and the right re-sold subject to the conditions stipulated in para 2 *supra*.

4. The lessee shall sign an agreement binding himself to observe the following conditions, and it shall be executed within a week from the date on which the confirmation of the sale is intimated to him, in default of which, the money paid by him will be forfeited to Government and the right disposed of by resale at his risk as defined in paras 2 and 3 *supra*. The lessee shall not be allowed to enter the forest and cut bamboos until he has executed the agreement and further paid the balance of the lease amount.

Other conditions.

(*a*) The bamboos shall be collected or stored outside the block at such place or places as may be fixed by the Range Officer concerned and allowed to be removed on check by him and after a "permit to remove" is issued. Removal without such permits will be an offence to be dealt with according to law.

(*b*) The lessee shall not cut bamboos outside the limits of the block to which the lease refers.

(*c*) The lessee will be personally held responsible for the acts of his agents or servants or coolies in the business of collection and removal of bamboo and for preventing and cutting of clumps under two years by himself, his agents, servants or coolies.

(*d*) The lessee shall not sell the right purchased to other person or persons or appoint any agent or agents to work for him, without obtaining the previous permission in writing of the District Forest Officer.

(*e*) The lessee shall collect and remove the full quantity purchased from the limits of the Forest before the end of December 1924. No permission will be granted for cutting and collecting of bamboos after the 31st December 1924, but in very exceptional cases, an extension of time not exceeding three months will be granted by the District Forest Officer only for removal.

(*f*) The lessee shall accept the minimum quantity fixed in the notification as available in the block or area concerned and shall have no claim on the Department for any deficit that may be found. If he removes any quantity above the minimum fixed within the lease period, he will pay for the excess quantity at auction sale rates.

(*g*) The lessee shall abide by such orders as the District Forest Officer may issue regulating the transport of bamboos and collection at their rafting stations.

(*h*) The lessee will be held responsible for the occurrence of any fire within the forest, if there is sufficient ground for the Forest Department to suspect that it was caused by his negligence or by that of his employees.

(*i*) Neither the lessee nor his employees shall enter the forest either before sunrise or after sunset.

5. No bamboos should be collected between 15th February and 30th April in the State Forests.

6. The sale does not prohibit the issue of retail licenses at seigniorage rates or the exercise of the rights of the villagers.

M. MACHAYA,
District Forest Officer.

KADUR FOREST DIVISION.

Notification dated 1st November 1923.

It is hereby notified for general information that the right of collecting and removing the canes in the Forest of Koppa and Mudgere Ranges, subject to the exercise of rights of the villagers, will be sold by the District Forest Officer, or the Range Officers concerned on the dates specified hereunder:—

Range	Place of sale	Date of sale	Remarks
Koppa	Koppa travellors' bungalow	30th November 1923.	
Mudgere	Mudgere Range Forest Office.	27th do	

1. The collection period shall extent till the end of June 1924.

2. The successful bidder, shall, immediately after the sale, pay one-fourth of the sale amount together with Local cess at one anna per rupee, Railway cess at six pies and Education